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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Healthcare Infection Control Practices Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC),
Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with regulatory provisions, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the following meeting for the Healthcare Infection Control Practices Advisory Committee (HICPAC). This virtual meeting is open to the public, limited only by room seating available (120). The public is also welcomed to listen to the meeting via Zoom; 500 teleconference lines are available. Time will be available for public comment. Registration is required.

DATES: The meeting will be held on June 8, 2023, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., EDT, and June 9, 2023, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., EDT.

ADDRESSES: Registration is required to attend in person or on the phone. Interested parties must be processed in accordance

with established federal policies and procedures and may register at https://www.cdc.gov/hicpac. All registered participants will receive instructions shortly before the meeting. Please click first link for day one and the second link for day two to join the webinar:

https://cdc.zoomgov.com/j/1616828862?pwd=N3hmSTEvQjQ3ZHFScVMyM1k 2Mk8yUT09

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

PURPOSE: The Committee is charged with providing advice and guidance to the Director, Division of Healthcare Quality

Promotion, the Director, NCEZID, the Director, CDC, and the Secretary, Health and Human Services, regarding 1) the practice

of healthcare infection prevention and control; 2) strategies for surveillance, prevention, and control of infections, antimicrobial resistance, and related events in settings where healthcare is provided; and 3) periodic updating of CDC guidelines and other policy statements regarding prevention of healthcare-associated infections and healthcare-related conditions.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The agenda will include updates on CDC's activities for prevention of healthcare-associated infections. It will also include updates from the following HICPAC workgroups: the Isolation Precautions Guideline workgroup, the Dental Unit Waterline Guideline Workgroup, the Healthcare Personnel Guideline Workgroup, the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit Guideline Workgroup, and the National Healthcare Safety Network Workgroup. The agenda also includes updates on CDC and DHQP activities. Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Public Participation

Oral Public Comment: Time will be available for public comment. Members of the public who wish to provide public comments should plan to attend the public comment session at the start time listed. Please note that the public comment period may end before the time indicated, following the last call for comments.

Written Public Comment: The public is welcomed to submit written comments in advance of the meeting. Comments should be

submitted in writing by e-mail to the contact person listed above. The deadline for receipt of written public comment is May 26, 2023. All requests must contain the name, address, and organizational affiliation of the speaker, as well as the topic being addressed. Written comments should not exceed one single-spaced typed page in length and delivered in 3 minutes or less. Written comments received in advance of the meeting will be included in the official record of the meeting.

The Director, Strategic Business Initiatives Unit, Office of the Chief Operating Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, has been delegated the authority to sign Federal Register notices pertaining to announcements of meetings and other committee management activities, for both the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

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